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## Office of the Regional Administrator / Region I

July 26, 2002

Donald L. Shumway, Commissioner Department of Health and Human Services 129 Pleasant Street Concord, New Hampshire 03301-3857

Dear Mr. Shumway:

Thank you for your request for a fourth 90-day temporary extension of the 40177.90 HCBS waiver for individuals with acquired brain disorders pending review of your waiver renewal application.

I am granting a ninety (90) day extension so that the 40177 waiver may now continue through October 26, 2002 at the level approved for your Renewal Year 5 (11/1/00 to 10/31/01).

If you have any questions, please call Nancy Grano at (617) 565-1695.

Sincerely yours,

Lynda F. Silva Acting Regional Administrator

cc: Karen Kimball
Division of Developmental Services